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2 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
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4 FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA  
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6 JONATHAN L. RICHES,

No. CV 07-06153 MJJ ,

7 Plaintiff,

**JUDGMENT IN A CIVIL CASE**

8 v.

9 ELLEN DEGENERES,

10 Defendant.  
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12 **() Jury Verdict.** This action came before the Court for a trial by jury. The issues  
13 have been tried and the jury has rendered its verdict.

14 **(X) Decision by Court.** This action came to trial or hearing before the Court. The  
15 issues have been tried or heard and a decision has been rendered.

16 **IT IS SO ORDERED AND ADJUDGED** that this action is dismissed as plaintiff  
17 has failed to state a cognizable claim for relief under § 1983.

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19 Dated: December 28, 2007

Richard W. Wieking, Clerk

20 By: /s/ Frank Justiliano  
21 Deputy Clerk  
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